

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: C. Nguyen
TETSUJI SANO et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2173
Application No.: 10/736,502	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 6290
Filed: December 17, 2003	)	
	:	
For: DATA PROCESSING	)	
APPARATUS, DATA	:	
PROCESSING METHOD OF	)	
DATA PROCESSING	:	
APPARATUS, AND	)	
COMPUTER-READABLE	:	
MEMORY MEDIUM STORING	)	
PROGRAM THEREIN	:	March 27, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2006, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows: